32692

RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

PATENT Docket No.: 58203US004

Customer Number

FEB 2 3 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ROBERT K. GALKIEWICZ and STEFAN DIETRICH

Serial No.:

10/788,597

Filed:

February 27, 2004

Examiner:

3682

Group Art Unit:

T. Hannon

For:

SLIDABLE FASTENER BEARING

ASSEMBLY

Certificate of Transmission I certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated below: Sent to Facsimile No.: 571-273-8300 (7 pgs.) Date: February 23, 2006

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 23, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

This Amendment is believed to be timely submitted. It is believed that no fee is due; however, in the event a fee is required, please charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.